



► **KID ZONE MISSION:**
To create memorable childhood experiences everyday, through age appropriate enrichment learning, in a safe and nurturing environment.



► **CITY OF TEMPE MISSION:**
Tempe creates outstanding value for those we serve through shared vision, superior service and sustainable practices.

○ Apr

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○ 2016

KID ZONE

Spotlights

Enrichment Program



★ CONNECTING THE COMMUNITY TO KID ZONE STAFF, STUDENTS & PROGRAMS

PROGRAM SHOWCASE

SPECIAL EVENTS EXPOSE COMMUNITY TO KID ZONE ENRICHMENT



Kid Zone exists to serve the families of Tempe. Our goal is that children after school feel safe and secure while enhancing their lives through enrichment learning and fun. We want this mission to reach more than just the 2500 children we serve in our program. Each year we partner with other City of Tempe events to serve the community and let them know that Kid Zone is there to serve them when school is out. Our Kid Zone staff inspire youth with STEM, Gardening, Nutrition, Dance, and more hands on learning activities at each and every event. Here is what we have done so far this year and what is still to come!

2015/16 Special Events:

Family Fun Factory (Dec)– Kid Zone brought science to the holiday theme with an insta-snow project.

Tempe Comicon (Jan)– At the Kid Zone booth, kids got to use their super STEM powers as Electroman, Aquaman, and Superman at this interactive super STEM station.

Kid Zone Experience at PlayDay (Feb)– This year Kid Zone Experience showcased 20 booths and activities ranging from Angry Birds STEM launch, to face paintings, to make your own fresh salsa.

Geeks Night Out (Mar)– Kid Zone sites created Geo Domes and explored cell phone science with Holograms and Virtual Reality.



Upcoming Events:

Tour de Tempe (Apr. 3rd)– Bring your bike to Kiwanis Park for food, fun, and a tour of Tempe.

Arbor Day 5K (Apr. 29th)– This event will bring together 3 great projects- Kid Zone Adopt a Park, Nutrition Running Club, and Arbor Day 5K run. Leading up to the run, Ninos Kid Zone will be planting at tree and doing a park clean up at Corbell

Park. Kid Zone running club and community run the Arbor Day 5k Apr. 29th.



KID ZONE COMMUNITY

★ **Summer Registration:** Summer will be here before we know it! With tons of amazing activities, field trips and special events, Kid Zone summer camps can't be beat! We offer a Sports Camp, Middle School Youth Camp, and K-5 Traditional Enrichment Camps. Current participants register at KidZoneLogin.com or at Kid Zone Admin Office 3340 E. Rural Rd. in Tempe.

★ **Kid Zone Featured in Warner Wrangler:** If you have ever spent significant time in the Kid Zone program then this article will make you say "Yes!". The author took the time to truly dive into our program and find out what we mean by creating memorable childhood experiences through enrichment learning.

Search: **Tempe Kid Zone** at www.wranglernews.com

STAFF AND KIDS SHINE

Nutrition: The Kid Zone Getz Preschool is a nationally accredited program that meets the highest standards of Early Childhood Education. Recently the staff organized a farmer market to learn about 'farm to table' nutrition concepts and money management! Our Kid Zone sites planted gardens with our Gardening Instructor and grew their own fruits and veggies. Yum!

